

Greenfield rings the curfew now.

Gov. Hough arrived from Washington, yesterday.

Read J. C. Spargur's millinery ad. in this issue.

Will Walker has returned from his trip to Mobile.

Mrs. J. A. Trimble is visiting friends in Louisville, Ky.

Charlie Shade is all sunshine now. It's a great big boy.

Mrs. T. F. Zink is in Columbus, visiting Mrs. W. L. Morrow.

See the line old ladies' shoes and bunnies at the Bee Hive.

Will Hiestand made a trip to Portsmouth, the first of the week.

Miss Luella Chase, of Covington, Ky., is a guest of Miss Etta Hoyt.

One of the greatest comforts recently invented is the sewing machine fan.

Mrs. Lena Robinson is visiting relatives and friends at Sugartree Ridge.

Miss Helen Shuman, of Walnut Hills, is a guest at the home of Jerro Foley.

Prof. Laird, of North Liberty, was a guest of Dr. N. B. Lafferty, last week.

"Jim" Foraker, of Cincinnati, is the proud father of a bouncing baby boy.

Hugh J. Ervin wants some good driving horses, 15.3 to 16 hands in height.

Scott & Lemon sell Eugene Stabler's plants and vegetables fresh every day.

Mrs. Cary Pope is entertaining as her guest, Miss Lida Collins, of Sidney, O.

Miss Hattie Chaney visited Mrs. Dora Van Winkle, in Blanchester, Wednesday.

Miss Nellie McClain, of Greenfield, is here visiting her friend, Miss Etta Hoyt.

Mrs. Geo. Edwards, of Portsmouth, is here, a guest of her mother, Mrs. Ferris.

Men's fine shoes in greens, chocolates, ox-bloods, tans and blacks, at Bee Hive.

Prof. J. A. Shannon, of Bainbridge, was a guest of Hillsboro friends, Saturday.

Mrs. Gov. Hart, of Washington, D. C., is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Evans.

Col. Nasor, of Lexington, Ky., was here yesterday, a guest of Frank Tomlinson.

Mrs. D. C. Fenner, Mrs. Graham and Mrs. W. Ayres, are in Xenia, visiting friends.

Col. R. H. Julian and wife, of College Hill, were guests of Stephen Hickel over Sunday.

Miss Daisy Ervin was the guest, last week, of her aunt, Mrs. R. Pennington East of town.

Walter Pope, of Chicago, who has been visiting his father here, left for his home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schultz and Mrs. James Strauss visited relatives in Greenfield, last week.

Miss Alma Parlin has returned to her home in Newport, Ky., after a visit to Mrs. H. W. Spargur.

Miss Aida Kittridge has returned to her home in New York, after a pleasant visit with Miss May Bell.

Mrs. E. J. Wright is entertaining as her guests, Mrs. Delia Newman and Mrs. A. Y. Rogers, of Chicago.

Miss Katie Reinbold was in Weber town, a few days ago, a guest of her friend, Miss Lizzie Pfister.

Mrs. Mamie Miller, an aged colored woman, died Tuesday morning at her home, on North East street.

Miss Edith Steele was a guest of Miss Grace Parker, at the Hotel Bindley, Blanchester, a few days ago.

Special and very interesting memorial services will be held in the Baptist Church next Sunday evening.

Stoddard and Carl Hamilton, of Washington, O. H., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wedding, Sunday.

H. D. Davis will deliver the memorial address at Bainbridge, on the 29th, and at Sinking Spring, on the 31st.

M. McKeehan, A. E. Kelly and F. F. Stevens are enjoying themselves at the famous French Lick Springs, Indiana.

Misses Blanch Colvin and Grace Morgan, attended the Sunday school convention at Mowrystown, Saturday.

Misses Josephine Self and Minnie Martin, of Greenfield, were guests of Miss Beanie Evans, one day last week.

West street is being improved. The good work began at Pleasant street and will continue as far as the Hillsboro R. R. depot.

The Wayne County Herald, of Wooster, quotes our notice of Hon. Olin J. Row, and comments in a very happy vein upon his distinguished ability.

The plums are beginning to drop. John Connard has been appointed Deputy Revenue Collector for this district, and W. C. Newell, ex-sheriff of this county has picked up the postmaster's ship at Bainbridge.

Rev. Heber D. Ketcham will preach the annual memorial sermon, in the M. E. Church, next Sunday morning at 10:30.

Rev. J. P. Currin will deliver an address to the Knights Templar, in the Baptist Church, next Sunday morning, at 10:30.

Mrs. Capt. J. M. Hiestand, who has been in Portsmouth visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Reed, returned home yesterday.

Wm. Britton, the Williamsburg attorney, well known in this city as the possessor of the famous bloodhounds, died a few days ago.

Decoration Day will be observed at this place next Saturday. Rev. Stoner of Blanchester, will make the principle address, followed by others.

Next Sunday evening the service in the M. E. Church will be in the nature of a camp fire, in which old soldiers will relate incidents of war experience.

Rev. Heber D. Ketcham leaves today for Gas City, where he will deliver a lecture before the Music Conference District convention of the Epworth League.

Judge John B. Littler, of Big Springs, Texas, who is visiting friends in this vicinity, was here Thursday, enjoying the greetings of a legion of old friends.

A new copper wire has been strung to the telephone at the power house, to obviate the trouble, so annoying in the past, during the illumination of the arc lamps.

Miss Butters, a bright and amiable young lady, the daughter of Daniel Butters, died on Wednesday, at home near Marshall. The funeral occurred Friday morning.

Park & Haas, the ice men, are making a fine start for the season. They are pleasant, accommodating gentlemen, and you will find it a pleasure to deal with them.

H. M. Hubbard and wife, R. H. Platt and wife, and R. S. Smith, all of Columbus, passed through this place, Wednesday, enroute to the Serpent Mound, on their wheels.

If what J. C. Spargur says in his advertisement this week is really so, there are surely chances for the ladies to get some rare bargains. We suggest that you try him.

The bell at the new school building got out of its bearings, the other day, and has not been ringing since. The pupils now answer the summons of a little hand bell.

Mrs. Wm. Ayres, while going down into the cellar, at her home on East street, Monday afternoon, missed her footing and fell, breaking her left arm above the elbow.

Mrs. O'Leary, an aged widow, died of the infirmities of old age, at her home on Fair street, Wednesday morning. The funeral took place from the Catholic church, Friday morning.

Rev. Dr. Clark's lecture Thursday evening, in the M. E. Church, on the Pope—His Palace and Cathedral was a scholarly discourse, replete with information delightfully presented.

Judge and Mrs. Thompson enjoyed a visit, last Sunday, from their grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Thompson, of Xenia, and their great-grandchildren, little Allen and Noah.

Richards, Zink & Co., the up to date grocers, have just received a car load of Gold Medal Flour. The price is the same as any other first class flour, and if you will try it you will use no other.

The School Board have re-employed the teachers of our schools, at their former salaries, except for the position of assistant principal of the High School, which position will be provided for later.

There seems to be a pretty general sentiment in favor of keeping the City Library open until nine o'clock in the evening. Otherwise many will be deprived of the benefits of the institution.

Children's day will be observed at the Christian church, Sunday night, June the 6th. The youngsters are being trained by W. S. Barker and lady. A pleasant time is expected. Come everyone.

The Penn township Boxwell Commencement will be held at Samantha, June 5, in the M. E. Church, at eight o'clock. Music by the Ionia Quartet, of Hillsboro. Class address by Rev. J. P. Currin.

The unique and peculiar programmes at the Baptist Church, Sunday evening, were greatly enjoyed by all present, and similar services will be the order of Sunday evenings, unless otherwise announced, for some time in the future.

Judge J. B. Gardner, who is a staunch friend of the black snake and the garter snake, says that crows are among the farmer's best friends. When Mr. Crow lights down in the field, he is not after the corn, but the grub and cut worms and other enemies of the corn. By an unerring instinct he is able to locate these pests, and if he pulls up a blade of corn in getting them, and incidentally helps himself to a grain that clings to the roots, he has fully earned all he takes. If left alone he will do the farmer infinitely more good than harm.

An unexpected summons having called Rev. Ketcham to Indiana, the prayer meeting in the M. E. Church, this evening, will be conducted by Rev. John Naylor. The special topic will be postponed until Wednesday evening of next week.

Saxby's Magazine, one of the brightest publications of the day, publishes Hon. H. C. Collins' recent poem on the Mexican Herder. It is one of Mr. Collins' finest productions, and well worthy all prominence that can be given it in literary circles.

John M. Kay, the other day while plowing turned up an old campaign medal of 1840. On its face was the typical log cabin, the date and the motto almost eaten away. It is a curiosity now. But once they were as plentiful as berries in June.

Richards, Zink & Co's policy is to be up-to-date in all things in the grocery line. They believe that there is nothing too good for the people of Highland county, and when they offer you Chase & Sanborn's coffee they know that you will be satisfied.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fuller have been at the "Point" some time, fishing and rustication. Last week Mrs. Fuller and Miss Lizzie Hope visited friends in Greenfield. But tiring of the funeral quietude of that village returned to the roar of the rapids.

Mrs. J. Q. Overman, wife of Quinn Overman, died at their home, near town, on the Cincinnati pike, Monday morning. She had long been a sufferer from dropsy and heart trouble. Funeral services were held in the M. E. Church, at Samantha, yesterday afternoon.

It is the time of year when reminders should be offered to the effect that it is a violation of state law to throw glass, tacks, thorns, nails, or anything else upon the public highway that will puncture the tire of a bicycle. The offense is punishable by a heavy fine.

Prof. Barrett has been succeeded as Superintendent of the Leesburg schools by a gentleman from Manchester. Prof. Barrett was not an applicant for re-appointment, and jocularly suggests that he has bright prospects for something better.

Judge Lilly has been annoyed by people sitting on the stile in front of his suburban home. Yesterday evening he found David Young there, and ordered him to leave. An altercation ensued, in which the Judge was roughly beaten up about the head. His injuries were such as to require medical attention, but, he is able to be out this morning.

On Wednesday evening next, will occur, at Chillicothe, the wedding of Nathan Durfee, of Fall River, Mass., and Miss Helena Brown, niece of Hon. R. T. Hough, of this city. It will be the brilliant social event of the season in Chillicothe. The happy groom and his pretty bride will enjoy the summer in the Adirondacks.

Greenfield has a two legged dog of which she is justly proud. The canine had two legs cut off by a railroad train, and seems to get along just as well without them. He balances on one fore and one hind leg, and preserves his equilibrium with a simple twist of the tail. The most incredible part of the story, however, is that money won't buy that dog.

Guy Kennedy has been called temporarily to Logansport, Indiana, as an expert, to investigate the affairs of the State National Bank, from which it will be remembered Cashier Johnson is charged with having stolen \$800,000. This selection for such a responsible work speaks volumes for the esteem in which Guy's abilities are held by the National authorities. The Cincinnati Times Star says:

Mr. Guy H. Kennedy, the expert who has been assisting Receiver George P. Wilshire in straightening out the affairs of the defunct First National Bank, was telegraphed by Comptroller Eckels, Monday afternoon, to proceed at once to the State National Bank at Logansport, Ind., and make an examination of the books at that institution. He will return to the First National in about ten days. Comptroller Eckels credits Mr. Kennedy with sending in the most complete and able report of any of the experts employed for that purpose.

It now transpires that Hon. R. T. Hough is a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination on the Democratic ticket. If there was any probability of Democratic success, there is no one who we would rather see honored thus. As it is, if Mr. Hough wants the nomination, we would be glad to see him set it. He is certainly entitled to great consideration by the party for which he has labored effectively and incessantly. He would make a strong candidate, especially in Southern Ohio, where his personal popularity would insure a tremendous following. But, we doubt the wisdom of his accepting the nomination. In 1897 Ohio is bound to go Republican. The interests of the Nation demand it. The people must and will uphold the hands of the administration upon which depend the vital interests of prosperity. We have too kindly a feeling for Mr. Hough to want him crushed beneath the tread of millions who are now rallying to the standard of protection and honest money. In view of the report that he is committed to this candidacy, we would whisper in his ear the sage advice of the old squire, "Town, of you ain't done it, don't do it."

Just received new gasoline stoves, lawn mowers, ice cream freezers, granite ware, tinware, screen doors and hinges, and other goods in season. Must be sold in next few days, and are offered at assignee's prices while they last. Call at Rockhold Store.

GEO. L. GARRETT, Assignee.

The Eleventh Ohio Cavalry will hold a meeting at the Rocky Fork Caves on Friday and Saturday, June 18 and 19. This is but preliminary, however, to the regimental reunion, which it has been decided will take place either at Greenfield or Hillsboro in the following September.—Bainbridge Observer.

John E. Sands, the popular and efficient agent of the B. & O. S. W. railroad at Hillsboro, Ohio, is registered at the New Ironton. Mr. Sands is a lover of fast horses, and owns a very promising one that is now in training, but his visit here is of a purely social character, as he is very popular among the fair sex.—Ironton Irontonian.

Mr. T. M. Watts, of Carmel, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Watts will be the Highland county candidate for State Senator before the Republican convention at Washington O. H., next Thursday. He is a very pleasant gentleman, and should be so fortunate as to secure the nomination and election, would no doubt be a popular and conscientious Senator.—Bainbridge Observer.

Rev. J. F. Lyod is here introducing his very interesting and comparative calendars, arranged with a special view to the study of Bible topics. They include the patriarchal and Mosaic calendars as compared with the corresponding Julian months. Every person should be a Bible student, and every Bible student should have one of these calendars, which only cost twenty-five cents.

Wilmington has passed a lamp and bell ordinance for cyclists, which meets the approval, not only of pedestrians, but of the bicyclists themselves. It strikes as such an ordinance would be a good thing here. Our cyclists are generally equipped with bells, but few have lamps, which would be a great advantage under our existing moonlight schedule, by which the arc lamps are darkened on some of the blackest nights.

The Williamsburg, Clermont county, News, says:

Ellis Pence, the largest marble and granite salesman that comes our way, was here part of this week, and succeeded in carrying away a good contract. When Ellis sits down to business he always makes a good impression, and generally succeeds in carrying off the prize. Mr. Pence informs us that he is now in business for himself and buys his stock direct from the quarries, which enables him to give such close prices. Success to you, Ellis!

Geo. Carlisle has gained great standing as a weather prophet by reason of having predicted, on the 21st of February that there would be a frost on 21st of May. He based his prognostication, on the fact of the fog which came on the former date. George was pretty generally laughed at during the interim. But, it is said that, "He laughs best who laughs last," and it is his time to laugh now. The frost on the 21st was not injurious, so far as we have learned, but it was a very palpable frost, never theless, and though prevented by the radiation of heat from the earth from doing much harm to the crops, was scraped up in considerable quantities from the higher objects, such as roofs, car tops, and etc. Here's to George and his judgment on weather. He ought to start an almanac.

Walter Price, of the Great Settlement, is in serious trouble. They have a church society out there of which Price says he is President. It is called the "Willing Workers." Their meeting Friday night was disturbed by John Robinson, an outsider, who wanted to do all the cursing and discussing. Price ordered him to keep quiet, which he finally agreed to do until after the meeting. When the religious services were over, Robinson accosted Price and wanted to know why he "laid on him so hard." Price said that they couldn't stand each other, no how, not in meeting, that was done shure. An altercation ensued, and Robinson emerged from the contest with several knife wounds and his clothes cut into ribbons. He was not seriously hurt, however. Price was arraigned Friday before Mayor Davis and bound over to Common Pleas in the sum of \$200. Failing to furnish bond, the President of the Willin' Workers is now in the county bastille. Price is without funds and the society without a President—a pecuniary case of religion without money and without Price.

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One corn planter, one road wagon, one survey. All in good order.

J. V. HATCHER

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Keech carries a fine line of good inks stock complete.

The Cincinnati Commercial Tribune and Cincinnati Times Star always on sale at Keech's.

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For only 89 cents. Short back panama. Sailors in Lavendar, Green, Black, Blue and Ecrue. Regular price \$1.75.

For same price as above. Black fancy straw short back sailors. Regular \$1.50 quality.

Here is another bargain. Red, Brown, Black and Green Short Back "Nautic" Sailors for only 69 cents.

Very fine fancy bell crown Leghorns in Green, Lavendar, Black, Brown and Red. Our price 98 cents. Cheap at \$1.50.

\$1.00 grade Black Leghorns for only 49 cents.

Black Flats, fancy edge, for 19 cents, worth 50 cents.

All the new shapes in Black and Colored Braids, our very finest goods, at one-half the regular price.

White Hats, fancy braids, all shapes, from 49 cents up.

Children's Moll Hats, pinks and blues, for 19 cents.

Our \$1.00 grade Silk Moll Hats, 49 cents. These goods must be seen to be appreciated.

Over 100 pieces of New Ribbon received with the above lot of goods.

700 bunches of flowers were in this lot that were bought for 50 cents on the dollar.

We are not offering trash but new goods, styles, colors and shapes. Never before have such bargains been offered to the people of Highland county.

We probably have at this time a larger stock of millinery than has ever before been shown by any three stores in Hillsboro. Come or send for what you want.

John C. Spargur.

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Men's Suits—Another big lot just received of those regular \$5 and \$6 Suits, in Black, Blue or Brown, which we are selling for only..... \$3.98

Men's Fine Dress Suits—in Stylish and Serviceable Materials, and made and trimmed in first-class style—just such Suits as other stores charge \$8 and \$9 for..... \$5

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Ladies' Black and Tan Oxfords—guaranteed all solid, made on the New Stylish Lasts, and worth \$1.25 to \$1.50..... 98c

Men's Heavy Plow Shoes—Either Buckle or Lace Style, the regular \$1.25 grade..... 98c

While these Goods are cheap, they are not to be compared with the articles other stores sell at these prices. Our Large and Always-Growing Output enables us to buy Large Quantities for Spot Cash, and that is the whole reason for our LOW PRICES.

FEBEL BROS.

Use Washburn Crosby's Gold Medal Flour, America's greatest flour, and the "World's Finest Product." We sell it and guarantee it to be better than any other spring wheat flour.

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